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SUBJECT:EARTHQUAKE IN PANAMA

1. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS FROM MR. JAMES JORDAN OF THE UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY IN DENVER, COLORADO. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS IT TO PROFESSOR BERT SHELTON OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PANAMA'S GEOLOGY DEPARTMENT, TELEPHONE 52-3590.

2. BEGIN MESSAGE: AN EARTHQUAKE OCCURRED ON APRIL 4, 1978, AT 2111 HRS., 42 SECS. GMT. THE EARTHQUAKE HAS BEEN PROVISIONALLY LOCATED AT 70.06 DEG. NORTH LATITUDE AND 78.07 DEG. WEST LOGITUDE. THE QUAKE MEASURED A MAGNITUDE OF 5.7, AND ITS DEPTH WAS NORMAL. DAMAGE REPORTED ON THE CARIBBEAN COAST OF PANAMA. END MESSAGE. VANCE

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